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#### A GOOD

### All-Time Resolution!

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#### Kimbrell.

Charles Jones, of Brassfield, was here last week.

John W. Tuttle is at Irvine this week serving on the pettit jury.

W. G. Patrick is in Louisville attending the meeting of the State Central Committee of the Prohibition party.

Rev. M. M. Roundtree filled corn planting to beat. his appointment at Kimbrell's Chapel Sunday, preaching in the morning and the afternoon.

James Winn, Surveyor, and G. W. McIntosh and Morris Lars yourself. ison as Commissioners divided

Phillip Puckett bought of Wednesday night.

Simpson Clem four small year-Powell two calves for ten dollars each.

The man who invented the popular phrase, "plow deep while dropped out as fast as it came sluggards sleep, and ye shall have up. corn to sell and keep," should have added "but wait till past snow and sleet, your neighbor's

Don't forget the big auction sale of town lots at Stanton May 6. Go to see who else buys if you don't want to buy a lot for

Dr. C. M. Driver and family, the Blanton land for the heirs of Schollsville, visited the fami- men, in Oxfords and Shoes. In ly of R. P. Rose in this city Tans, Blacks and Patent Leather.

#### Twelve Months Dead Line.

By order of the Postoffice Department all weekly papers can no longer be mailed as second-class matter to subscribers twelve months or more in arrears. In complying with this new ruling we have been compelled to cut off 300 names, and all subscribers from this time on will have to be promptly dropped when their subscription becomes twelve months past due. Please keep yourself from under the dead line by paying one year in advance. Publisher.

The Republin Convention.

The Republicans met in mass convention at Stanton Saturday. Ab Hall was elected permanent chairman and Thos. Ogden, Jr. Secretary.

The resolutions adopted indorsed everything Republican and all Republicans in office.

The following delegates were selected to attend the district convention at Winchester and the State convention: E. B. Mc-The brooklets murmur as they flow 'Neath skies of softest blue; Glone, Robt. Blackburk, Thos. Ogden, Jr., J. H. Hambric, E. H. Fuller, Frank Earnest, J. H. Hardwick and Jesse Crow.

The following committeemen were selected: E. B. McGlone, Clay City; S. G. Baker, Hardwick's Creek; H. C. Benningfield, Stanton; R. A. Benningfield, South Fork; Isom Farmer, North Fork Drake, Dundee; Thos. Virden.

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which possessio Patrick's desirable addition t Il, as previously sta columns, dispose of T auction and the date of sale has been fixed for next Wednesday, May 6th.

The American Land Company is an old hand at the business, and they never take hold of any thing not worth fooling with. This Company has in these lots some valuable property, though not accounting for their exceeding value, the company will sell all of these lots at public sale the day mentioned. See half-page advertisement in this paper for particulars.

#### An Unexpected Tide.

We had another bottom sweeper in the river Sunday, but not nearly such a tide as we had April 1. The local rains Friday did not raise the river an inch. ling steer calves for fifteen dol- It was all head waters from up lars each and bought of Wm. the river which fell Friday night, and the stream did not begin to rise here until Saturday noon but it raised until Sunday noon. It began falling Sunday night and

> Your attention is called to the new advertisement of B. F. Berry, undertaker, West Bend, in this issue. Mr. Berry handles a nice line of burial goods and coffins, and besides he is prepared to furnish on short notice any kind of homemade coffin.

See our line of Walk-Overs for Hardwick & Company.

#### From the Farm Journal.

What a joy is born of Spring, When the birds begin to sing, And you smell the apple-blossoms In the orchard down the lane.

When lilacs bloom, their purple sprays
The garden's drowsy depths perfume;
A splendor fills the summer days,
When lilacs bloom.

Without 'tis beauty everywhere, And violets and roses rare All Nature seemeth glad.

No longer blasts from wintry wind,
The dreary days are far behind;
And shall the heart be sad?

The robin pipes from bush and tree Its songs of joyous melody,— Oh, let the heart sing, too!

The plow talks now.

After each rain stir the ground; once in ten days whether it rains or not.

An hour of thinking is oftentimes better than a week of

Happy is he who knows how to get along with all he can get and cy harmo- how to do without all he can not

every ear of your corn this year. of the same. Everybody invited You can do it by choosing the to come out. est perfect ears for seed, and by caring for your crop all the way through as if you were afne most ter the blue ribbon prize.

> Cultivate, cultivate, cultivate! Remember that it is possible by thorughh cultivation to grow a good crop without fertilizer, but impossible to raise a good crop with all the fertilizer you can pile on if no cultivation is given.

ing this spring for a general

clean-up around the place. Burn all the old rubbish, make wood out of old boxes, boards and barrels, sow grass seed on the bare spots around the house and barn, and apply the paint brush to the buildings if they need it. A general "fixing up" will give a neat appearance to the place and add dollars to its value.

Let the merchant advertise, The farmer fertilize,

The minister spiritualize, And the lawyer talkolies.

Telephone Company Incorporates.

The local telephone company has been incorporated under the name Kentucky Telephone Company, capital \$12,000. Incorporators, J. H. Sherley, Laura Sherley, Henry Watson and others of Mt. Sterling. Of course it is the intention of the new corporation to take into control the local telephone exchange.

Marshal A. P. Johnson received a check for \$50 from Uncle Sam Tuesday. This came as a reward for the arrest and delivery of John Patton to the Federal authorities at Ft. Thomas, Ky. Patton was enlisted in the army as a private and had deserted.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Church will give a strawberry supper at the church Try to add an extra kernel to Thursday, May 7 for the benefit

> Our Spring Stock is now ready for your inspection. We have the Largest and most complete Stock to be seen in the county. It will pay you to see us before making a purchase elsewhere. Hardwick & Co.

#### Notice to Trespassers.

All persons are hereby notified that all hunting and trespassing is forbidden by the undersigned who will prosecute to the extent of the Dedicate one Saturday morn- law all persons violating this no-R R HUTSON.

## An Inspection

Of Our Artistic Creations in Millinery is requested. We would be pleased to be favored with your presence at

OUR Opening Display, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, April, 10 and 11, 1908.

Mrs. W. N. Bush,

CLAY CITY, KY.